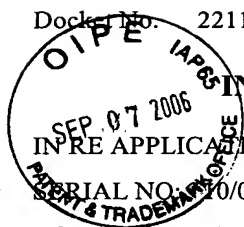


Docket No. 221181US3PCT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Seizo SUNAGO, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/089,165

GAU: 3761

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EXAMINER: DEAK, LESLIE R.

FOR: INFUSION CONTAINER AND METHOD FOR STORING FREEZE-DRIED MEDICINE THEREIN

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that an extension of time for the 3<sup>rd</sup> month be granted to September 7, 2006 for

- ☒ filing a response to the Official Action dated: March 7, 2006
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☒ filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). A timely response to the final rejection, due June 7, 2006 has been filed with an extension of time and fee for two months.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of **\$570.00** is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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